

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: MINING AND MINING RELATED EQUIPMENT TRADE MISSION,  
APRIL 27 - MAY 7, 1977

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QM GREEK MARKET FOR PRODUCTS HANDLED BY ESB, INC., WILLSON  
PRODUCT DIVISION IS PRESENTLY SMALL BUT SHOWS SIGNS OF GROWTH AS  
GOVERNMENT ENFORCES SAFETY MEASURES AND MINING ACTIVITY EXPANDS.  
DEFINITE LIMITATION WOULD BE AVERAGE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AND  
WORKERS OCCUPIED DAILY IN MINING AND QUARRYING ENTERPRISES, WHICH  
IN 1974 TOTALED 18,182 PERSONS, EXCLUDING STONE QUARRIES, ALUMINUM  
AND CEMENT PLANTS FOR WHICH EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS ARE NOT AVAILABLE

2. MINING COMPANIES ARE GENERALLY SATISFIED WITH SIMPLE LOCALLY  
PRODUCED SPECTACLES, MASKS, AND HELMETS, WHILE SOUND BARRIER DEVICES  
ARE NOT YET POPULAR. MARKET SOURCES ESTIMATE ANNUAL VOLUME OF IMPORTS  
OF APPROX \$10,000, FROM ENGLAND, SPAIN, ITALY, W. GERMANY AND SWEDEN

3. FOLLOWING LEADS DEVELOPED IN COURSE OF INQUIRY:

A. SPE - COOPERATIVE SUPPLY SOCIATEY LTD  
59 DELIGHIORGHI STREET  
ATHENS 107, GREECE

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(FORMER (1958) WILLISON PRODUCT CONTACT IN GREECE WHO IS NOW  
INTERESTED IN RESPIRATORS FOR AGRICULTURAL USE)

B. GEORGE FR KLISAS  
8 ZINONOS STREET  
ATHENS 101, GREECE

(TO RESUME PREVIOUS CORRESPONDENCE WITH ESB CONCERNING  
REPRESENTATION)

C. ARCHIMIDES S.A.

19 ATHINAS STREET

ATHENS 114, GREECE (ATTENTION E. TSIKLIS, MANAGING DIR)

(INDUSTRIAL HARDWARE IMPORTER/STOCKER WISHES TO REVIEW

WILLSON'S CATALOGUES)

D. HELLENIC CHEMICAL PRODUCTS AND FERTILIZERS COMPANY LTD

20 AMALIAS AVENUE

ATHENS 118, GREECE (ATTENTION GEORGE CANELLOPOULOS)

(LARGEST GREEK MINING COMPANY REQUESTS DIRECT CONTACT AND  
OPPORTUNITY TO REVIEW ESB CATALOGUES)

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